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VENGEANCE IS NOT FOR MEN BUT FOR GOD, SAYS PASTOR

Unto Caesar Things That Are Caesar's, Unto God Things That Are God's

Lesson From Text That Fits the Times.

AT THE CHURCHES YESTERDAY

"Vengeance belongs to God," declared the Rev. W. E. Cave, in his sermon at the First Presbyterian church, yesterday morning. "And we need to learn that lesson in this state. Recent happenings have shown the futility of men assuming this authority. All men must learn to leave these matters to God. St. Paul admonishes us, where it is possible, to live in peace with all men. There are times when it is not right to submit to aggression, and there are occasions when men must take a stand for conscience sake; but there is no place for revenge in the catalogue of human powers."

Dr. Cave's sermon was based on the text "Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's."

Dr. Cave's discourse dwelt principally with those "things that are God's," and the importance of man.

Miss Alma Hughes played a beautiful violin solo for the offering.

First Christian.
Two large congregations greeted the Rev. S. B. Moore at the First Christian church yesterday, and there were four additions to the church.

Septuagesima Sunday.

Yesterday was Septuagesima Sunday, the seventh day before Easter. It marked the beginning of the penitential season and calls attention to the fact that Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, will be here in less than three weeks, as March 1 is the first day of Lent. Yesterday for the first time the Catholic church used the purple vestments and the flowers on the altar were removed, leaving simply the candles. The gospel yesterday was taken from the twentieth chapter of St. Matthew, relating to the laborers in the vineyard.

At Broadway.
The Rev. G. T. Sullivan, pastor of the Broadway Methodist church, continued his sermon on the commandments "not night and day" on "Thou Shalt Not Take the Name of the Lord Thy God in Vain." Dr. Sullivan spoke on how the name of God was used lightly and falsely, and pointed out that the name of Christ and God should be spoken with great reverence. As a personal expression Dr. Sullivan said he believed that marriages should not be performed by officers of the law, but only by ministers of the gospel. Considering that such marriage is legal, he pointed out with what lightness the vows of matrimony are often taken and how lightly the name of God is used, and the vows are sometimes administered by an unworthy man. Next Sunday evening Dr. Sullivan will take the commandment "Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep It Holy." This may be the last sermon on the commandments until pleasant weather comes, as many people that are interested in the series are unable to attend during the inclement weather.

First Baptist.

Regular services were held yesterday at the First Baptist church. The Rev. M. E. Dodd preached in the morning on "The Universal Gospel." It was a strong sermon on the necessity of keeping missionaries in the foreign fields, and of the results that have been secured through the work among the heathen. At the morning service the congregation adopted the quarterly report of the Rev. Mr. Tipton, who is in China, doing missionary work. He is kept in the field by the church, and his report showed that much work had been accomplished.

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COUNTY TAX BOARD

The board of tax supervisors for the county met this morning to hear complaints of those property owners, whose assessments were increased the present session of the board, and all day the room they occupy on the second floor of the court house has been filled with taxpayers anxious to convince the supervisors that they were wrong in putting a higher value on their assessment than was listed with the assessor. The board will be in session ten days and ample time will be given everyone to be heard.

Mr. G. B. Exall went to Fulton this morning.

Night Riders Visit Eddyville and Whip Eleven Men, Who Had Been Told to Quit Talking About Them.

Night Operator of Telephone Exchange Taken Prisoner and Compelled to Accompany Them.

Night riders, who have terrorized the section of the Black Patch immediately east of the Cumberland river, will not look reckless talking, likely to give away information concerning them or cast reflections on their motives, and early Sunday morning they visited Eddyville on seven negroes and twelve white men, including the police judge at Eddyville. The victims were horsewhipped until the blood flowed, and left with a warning to keep their mouths shut. The victims were horsewhipped until the blood flowed, and left with a warning to keep their mouths shut. The victims were horsewhipped until the blood flowed, and left with a warning to keep their mouths shut.

More Snuff.

The night riders numbered between 200 and 400 men, and they are believed to be the full strength of the same band that visited Princeton and Hopkinsville. They wore black masks over their eyes and white scarves over their right shoulders, and they were under squad leaders, who knew what they were about.

Shortly after midnight a fusillade from the guns of advance guards stationed at street crossings notified the inhabitants to stay in doors, and then the main body marched in from the north on the old state road, where they had hitched their horses under guard a short distance out.

They stopped at the residence of Sheriff S. D. Cash and the town marshal, who live close together, and warned them to stay at home. They both obeyed.

While a dozen captured the night operator of the telephone exchange, the main body marched to the residence of Police Judge W. C. Rucker and demanded that he join them. He was slow in doing so, and they fired volleys through his house, fortunately not wounding anyone. With Judge Rucker they visited the other houses, apparently being well acquainted with the town, and gathered up their eleven victims. These they marched down the principal street to the steamboat landing, where they beat their victims with whips.

After it was all over the night riders got on their horses and galloped off in the direction of Princeton, pursued by no one.

The Operator's Story.

During the whipping L. S. Dickson, night operator at the East Tennessee exchange, was a prisoner, and he tells the following story:

"The night riders entered about midnight and commenced shooting up the town. At 12:26 o'clock four of them, masked and wearing white scarves, over their shoulders, entered my office and took me prisoner. At the foot of the stairs on the street we were joined by eight others. We heard firing in the vicinity of Judge Rucker's house and then at the homes of the others. It seems they took Judge Rucker first and he went with them to gather up the others. The main body joined us on the square and marched to the boat landing of the Cumberland river. Several night riders were ferried across from the west bank of the river. They whipped all the men with buggy whips for talking, at 2:45 o'clock."

WEATHER.



FAIR.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Slightly rising temperature. Highest temperature yesterday, 40; lowest today, 27.

I was taken back to my office and set free. "No damage was done to our equipment. I told them if they would tell me when they were on a raid, I would see that no information got out through my office, and I will keep my word with them."

Burning in Tennessee.

Clarksville, Tenn., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—Night riders burned the corn crib, stable and farm implements, stock, etc., of Lige Nichols, a non-association farmer of this county.

In Christian County.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—Night riders visited the farm of Mr. McKimney, in north Christian county, and robbed out a load of tobacco and destroyed it.

SNELL WILL CASE STILL WITH JURY AT CLINTON, ILL.

Clinton, Ill., Feb. 17.—The jury in the Thomas Snell will case is still deliberating on the problem of whether letters and other evidence represented indicated an unsound mind when he cut his only son off with \$50 in his will.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—Charges will be preferred at the Methodist church conference against the Rev. E. A. Hamilton for the connection of himself and family with the Snell will contest, during the trial of which begging letters from Hamilton and his wife and daughter have been read.

It is claimed that Mrs. Hamilton, with the knowledge of her husband, offered herself and daughter to the octogenarian millionaire for money.

CREST OF FLOOD IS AT WHEELING -- WORK STOPPED

Cincinnati, Feb. 17.—This city will be in the flood's grasp Tuesday morning, according to the weather bureau. The Ohio river is now at 45 feet, and 50 feet is the flood stage. Buildings on the river front are under water.

At Wheeling.

Wheeling, Feb. 17.—The crest of the flood is passing here today. With-out exception every industrial plant in the city is closed by high water. Seven thousand persons were driven from their homes.

At Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Feb. 17.—The Ohio river is now at 25 feet, having fallen five feet since yesterday. Business is being resumed and the work of rehabilitating the flooded section is going on. There was no loss of life during the flood, because sufficient warning was given.

MR. SMITH FIELDS DIES AT FULTON THIS AFTERNOON

Fulton, Ky., Feb. 17.—(Special.)—Mr. Smith Fields, 42 years old, one of Fulton's wealthiest citizens, died here at 1 o'clock today of tuberculosis, after a long illness. He recently returned from Asheville, N. C., unimproved in health. He is survived by his wife and three daughters. Mr. Fields was president of the City National bank, and was interested in several corporations here and at Paducah. He had been in the tobacco business nearly all his life, and twelve years ago the firm of Fields Bros. at Paducah was one of the best known in this section. They had the contract with the Italian government. Mr. Fields resided at Twelfth and Jefferson streets in Paducah and had a warehouse at Tenth street and Broadway. The other brother, Lewis Fields, is in California. The Rev. Peter Fields, formerly pastor of the Third Street Methodist church in Paducah, is a brother.

Georgia Senator Ill.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Senator Alexander S. Clay, of Georgia, is ill with an attack of acute indigestion at his apartment in Birdy.

NONE SUPERIOR TO OUR NAVY SAYS OFFICIAL REPORT

Rear Admiral Converse Shows Ignorance of Critics of Fighting Ships.

Compares Them With Those of Other Nations.

QUALITY OF THEIR ARMAMENT

Washington, Feb. 17.—Through Secretary Mendenhall, Admiral Converse came strongly to the defense of the much maligned fighting ships of the American navy, when in a report given out today he declared that the quality of the material of the American navy and the ambition and knowledge of its personnel are second to the sea fighting equipment of no other nation.

This report was prepared primarily to satisfy the president as to the exact state of our naval ships compared with those of other navies, and its publication is authorized to reassure the American sailors as to the quality of the weapons with which they must go into battle. While of course it is regarded as desirable that our navy shall not be underrated abroad, and that the American people shall know the conditions under which their ships were designed, it is even more essential, in the judgment of the president and the naval officials, that the men who are to man the ships shall not have their moral courage shaken or weakened by the slightest doubt of the fact that they have as serviceable and efficient weapons as the sailors of any other navy in the world.

Critics' Half Knowledge.

Another purpose of the publication is to make clear the fact that the voluntary critics of our navy have spoken and written in a half light; that the officers who designed our ships were aware of many defects of ships in foreign navies which have been unduly padded as perfect examples of naval architecture, and that in designing our own ships these defects were taken into account and avoided, while every effort was made to embody the best and most modern naval ideas as well as those which the experience of foreign navies have shown to be sound.

Admiral Converse characterizes the criticisms as "prepared by persons whose knowledge on the subject discussed was limited and incorrect." There was, he says, ample justification for the adoption of the battleship designs which have been followed.

"It is not claimed that mistakes have not been made," he adds, "or that our ships are without faults; but in view of the then state of the art of battleship building, this fact is not to be wondered at. It is remarkable that the mistakes were so few, and that none were really serious. In this respect our records will compare favorably with that of foreign services."

Would Make Good in Fight.

"The quality of the material of our navy is inferior to none; in quantity of vessels alone we are lacking. With an increase in the number of ships, the American navy will have been supplied the only feature necessary to make it second to none in all that tends toward fighting efficiency, and when the stress of actual combat, if such should ever unfortunately come, brings the only really practical test."

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WATCHMAN FALLS INTO RIVER FROM BEAVER--DROWNS

Clarence Monteth, a watchman on the towboat Beaver, fell off the boat four miles above Paducah on the Ohio river and was drowned the night of February 12. The Beaver passed down the Ohio that night with a tow of coal and stone. Monteth's wife was on the boat at the time her husband was drowned. Mrs. Monteth offers a reward of \$25 to the person finding her husband's body. Monteth was of slender build and was five feet and ten inches in height, weighing about 140 pounds. He had light brown hair and a dark brown mustache at the time of his drowning. He wore a dark blue flannel shirt, black coat and vest and corduroy trousers. On the finger of one hand there was a gold band ring with the initial "M."

Representative Virgil McKnight, of Mason County, One of Bolters, Dies, and Legislature Adjourns.

STUNG.
New York, Feb. 17.—Theodore P. Shouts, settled \$50,000 on his daughter when she married Saturday, according to an authentic report. The money is in the bride's name. He refused to pay the usual dowry foreign noblemen demand.

DENEEN MAY JOIN TAFT FORCES IN ASKING PRIMARY

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—The Republican state central committee will meet here Tuesday, and the committee is now believed to be ready to put a quietus on the Cannon boom by recommending a popular primary to get the sentiment of the people on presidential candidates. A resolution to this effect will be offered by R. M. Sullivan, of this city, and it is not believed that any will dare vote against it. Not only this, but it is now expected that Deneen will ally himself with the Taft movement in Illinois and make his candidacy a tall to the Ohioan's kite.

STOP DOCKING HORSES

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 17.—A bill making it a crime and prescribing heavy penalty for the docking of horses will come up for its first reading before the legislature tomorrow. Fanciers and driving horse dealers from here and elsewhere throughout Kentucky will flock to Frankfort to oppose the measure. If it passes their business, they claim, will be ruined.

BURIED ALIVE?

Kansas City, Feb. 17.—Water department workmen today began reopening an excavation they filled at Twelfth and Main streets in the business section January 31, to see if John Fayhew was buried alive. Fayhew has been missing since, he was last seen making a connection of the water mains. His wife insists he was buried alive. Water department officials say such a thing could not occur.

ASSOCIATION IN EVERY COUNTY WILL SUE MEMBERS WHO VIOLATE AGREEMENT

Ballard County Will Lead Way For Western District Pool to Enforce Pledges.

Suits probably will be instituted in every county in the western district by the dark tobacco association against the farmers, who have violated the pool, and "dumped" their tobacco on the market. These suits will include actions for damages and to restrain those who have not disposed of their tobacco, delivering it to the buyers. Lists are being made up in Ballard county the suits will be filed for the April term of court, but the injunctions will be sought right away.

Violated Burley Pool.

Lexington, Feb. 17.—The first suit ever brought in the Fayette circuit court on account of an alleged breach of contract on the part of a member of the Burley Tobacco society was that filed by Attorney Matt S. Walton, Jr., on behalf of his client company against R. L. Goodpastor and L. Sharp, Jr.

JAIL DELIVERY

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 17.—Seven desperate prisoners, charged with crimes ranging from murder to larceny, escaped from the jail today, after sawing their way through two iron barriers. A woman, it is thought, aided them in their escape, as a small sized shoe prints were seen outside the wall.

Grain Market.

St. Louis, Feb. 17.—Wheat, 98; corn, 58; oats, 53.

GILBERT REMOVED BY COUNTY JUDGE ON HEIRS' MOTION

Administrator of W. Y. Griffith's Estate, Not Proper Person to Serve.

Hot Tilt Between Attorneys in the Case.

CASE WILL BE APPEALED

After hearing complaint made by Dr. B. B. Griffith, representing the heirs of W. Y. Griffith, as to the management of the estate by M. E. Gilbert, the administrator, Judge Lightfoot, today entered an order, removing Gilbert as administrator, giving as the reason that in the judgment of the court Gilbert was incapable of proper management of the estate.

A great deal of feeling seems to have crept into the affair, resulting from the refusal of the court to allow a will of Mrs. Alma Griffith, widow of W. Y. Griffith, which was offered by Gilbert, to be probated. The Griffith family apparently is determined that Gilbert shall not handle even the estate, of which he was administrator, any longer, while Gilbert and his attorneys seem equally determined that he shall act as administrator and also probate the will of Mrs. Griffith, according to which he is made administrator, and beneficiary of the estate to the extent of ten per cent of its value.

According to the statements of the court in rendering his opinion in which at times he was severely caustic, the principal grounds for the removal of Gilbert lie in the fact that a settlement suit has been filed in circuit court by Gilbert and his attorneys, which he designated as useless and for the purpose of getting the allowance of an attorney's fee to the administrator and his attorneys. He also called attention to the evidence adduced that Gilbert has allowed the taxes to go unpaid on the estate until the penalty has been added, and disregarded the wishes of Mrs. Griffith in failing to pay the funeral expenses of her husband with money placed in his hands for that purpose.

In commenting at length on the settlement suit Judge Lightfoot said that such a suit should never be brought in any case, except as a last resort, and under the law cannot be brought if the personal estate of the deceased is sufficient to pay the debts of the estate, as is evident in the estate under consideration.

During the progress of the case several hot battles were indulged in by the attorneys, Mr. Oliver, who represented Mr. Gilbert, arising to resent the implication that he had been interested in the suit for the purpose of obtaining a fee from the estate. Mr. Berry, for the Griffiths, came back with the statement that it was no implication, but a direct charge which he thought easy to sustain. Again Mr. Oliver made a statement to the court, which the judge considered improper and spoke of sending the attorney to jail for a good while, if it was repeated.

At the conclusion attorneys for Gilbert asked for a certified copy of the record and will appeal the whole case to the circuit court.

TAFT AT NEW HAVEN

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 17.—On arrival here this afternoon Secretary of War Taft was met by officers of the local Taft club and conferred with Republicans. He attended the Yale corporation meeting. Tonight he will deliver an address at the Republican club.

CAPT. BROWN'S STRATEGY

Hob Caldwell, colored, a hootlegger, who was indicted in March, 1906, was arrested by Marshal Blade, chief of the United States deputies, Saturday in Louisville. His capture is due to the strategy of Captain Wade Brown, former deputy United States marshal of this district. After being indicted Caldwell left Hickman, where he sold the liquor, and went to Memphis. Marshal Brown traced him from Memphis to Dyersburg, Tenn., Murray, Henderson and then Louisville, where Caldwell has been for several months.

Knowing Caldwell was in Louisville, Captain Brown went to one of Caldwell's friends, pretending to be administrator of an estate, who wished to send Caldwell some money. He was given his address and a bogus check was mailed, and authorities notified to keep a watch for the person presenting the check for payment.

WANTED!

Young Men and Women for positions of trust, where intelligent service will be appreciated and paid for—

Experienced Men and Women for positions requiring ability and tact—

People of All Ages, of all talents, of diverse abilities, for suitable lines of employment—

Used Things—such as Pianos, Organs, Every Sort of Musical Instrument, Writing Machines, Cash Registers, Store and Office Fixtures, Talking Machines, Books, Engravings, Post-Cards, Stamp Collections, Rugs, Carpets, Furniture of every kind—

Horses and Carriages, trucks, business wagons, bicycles, guns, cameras, fishing tackle, automobiles—

Real Estate—lots, plots, acres, leaseholds, equities, houses, flats, apartments, stores—

Instruction in painting, singing, the violin and piano, shorthand, accounting, correspondence, language, dancing—

Places to Live—houses, apartments, furnished rooms, boarding places where life is interesting.

These are some of the thousands of people and things that are "wanted" in this city just now, and if you can fill any of these "wants"

INQUIRE OF THE PUBLIC
Through a SUN Want Advertisement.

News Notes From the Sunday Papers.

At a conference held with the Tennessee railroad commission in Nashville, the Illinois Central, Louisville & Nashville and Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroads agreed to adopt the coupon system regarding tickets sold after April 1, pending the settlement of the passenger rate reduction cases in the Alabama courts.

The statement of the New York clearing-house banks for the past week shows that the banks hold \$30,850,225 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent. reserve rule. This is an increase of \$1,018,050 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with the previous week.

While northern and central Indiana was swept by snow and windstorms the southern part of the state was suffering from floods. Reports from Princeton, Vincennes, Evansville and other points express fear of a still higher stage of water.

The senate committee on education and labor decided to give public hearings Friday and Saturday next on the La Follette employers' liability bill. Representatives of railroad organizations will be heard first in support of the measure.

The coal operators and miners of the Pittsburgh district have arranged for a meeting early this week to prepare a program for the wage scale committee to follow the joint meeting of operators and miners in Indianapolis February 27.

Acting Governor Cox appointed Kelley Kash as commonwealth's attorney in the Breathitt district to succeed James P. Adams, who was named as circuit judge to succeed the late Judge Robert Riddell.

A Big Four train struck a Toledo and Western car at West Toledo, Ohio. Seven persons were killed and twelve injured.

The army appropriation bill will be reported by the house committee on

military affairs, with an amendment increasing the pay of enlisted men in the various degrees of service.

The government will institute proceedings against the Southern Pacific Railroad company and certain officials on the charge that they paid rebates to shippers.

Congressman Theodore E. Burton was unanimously renominated by the Republicans of the Twenty-first Ohio congressional district.

J. L. Bristow, former fourth assistant postmaster general, has announced his candidacy for United States senator from Kansas.

The new battleship Mississippi sailed from the League Island navy-yard for a six weeks' cruise to the Indies.

Ores containing gold, silver and copper have been found in the celebrated Culebra cut of the Panama canal.

Receivers were appointed in New York for the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company.

Marked for Death.
"Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave-yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Bae, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 35 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the world's healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at all druggists, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Salt thrown on a coal fire which is low will revive it.

The Arctic Brotherhood basketball team is devastating the far West.

GRATIFICATION IS EXPRESSED

By Commission That Railroads Are Trying to Obey Law.

New Nine Hour Law Will Go Into Effect on Baltimore & Ohio Today—Railroads Report.

PROMPTLY TO THE COMMISSION.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Gratification is expressed by the interstate commerce commission over two conditions that have arisen within a day or two. In concert form they mean that American railway officials, as a class, are doing all that lies in their power to meet situations that have developed under new laws applying to interstate traffic.

Information has reached the commission that the Baltimore & Ohio railroad proposes to put into effect throughout its system the so-called "nine-hour law," which, by its terms, does not become operative until March 4 next.

The law limits the hours of service of all classes of train operatives, particularly locomotive engineers, and firemen, train dispatchers, railway telegraphers, tower men and signal operators.

Another source of gratification to the commission is the very general compliance of railroads with that provision of the Hepburn act which makes it obligatory upon carriers to submit to the commission monthly reports covering every phase of the operation of interstate roads.

A few weeks ago it was announced in a tentative way that several important systems, notably the New York Central lines, had decided to furnish reports to the commission, in accordance with the law, and in conformity with regulations and forms prescribed by the commission.

Within a day or two an understanding has been reached between the commission and the New York Central by which the road has filed with the commission complete reports of its operations for the five months ended November 30 last. The commission now has complete reports for five months ended November 30, of ninety-nine per cent of the railroad mileage of the country.

It is expected, however, that by the first of March substantially complete reports from all railroads of the United States for six months ended January 1 will be in the hands of the commission.

DON'T PUT IT OFF

Until tomorrow what you can do today. If you are suffering from a torpid liver or constipation, don't wait until tomorrow to get help. Buy a bottle of Herberine and get that liver working right. Prompts about health never miss. Ask Dr. J. H. Oelshlaeger, Lang Bros. and C. O. Ripley.

NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Mayfield Store Destroyed.

Mayfield, Ky., Feb. 17.—The dry goods store of Draffen & Dick was destroyed by fire Saturday night. The firm carried a stock of about \$20,000 with \$10,500 insurance. The firm is composed of Lloyd Draffen and John Dick. The store is next to the W. T. Lowe Dry Goods company and the Lechridge & Ridgeway Hardware company.

Taft Supporter Announces Candidacy.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Feb. 17.—

What Do They Cure?

The above question is often asked concerning Dr. Pierce's leading medicines, "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Favorite Prescription."

The answer is that "Golden Medical Discovery" is a most potent alterative, blood-purifier, and tonic or invigorator and acts especially favorably in a curative way upon all the mucous lining surfaces, as of the nasal passages, throat, bronchial tubes, stomach, bowels and bladder, curing a large per cent of catarrhal cases whether the disease affects the nasal passages, the throat, larynx, trachea, stomach, or catarrhal dyspepsia, bowels (as mucous colitis), bladder, uterus or other pelvic organs. Even in the chronic, ulcerated stages of these ailments it is often successful in effecting a cure.

The Favorite Prescription is a powerful yet gently acting invigorating tonic and nerve tonic. For weak women, over-worked women—no matter what has caused the breakdown—"Favorite Prescription" will be found most effective in building up the strength, regulating the womanly functions, silencing pain and bringing about a healthy, vigorous condition of the whole system.

A book of particulars wraps each bottle giving the formula of both medicines and quoting what scores of eminent medical authorities, whose words are consulted by physicians of all the schools of practice as guides in prescribing, say of each ingredient entering into these medicines. The words of praise bestowed on the several ingredients entering into Dr. Pierce's medicines by such writers should have more weight than any amount of non-professional testimonials, because such men are writing for the guidance of their medical brethren and know whereof they speak.

Both medicines are non-alcoholic, non-secret, and contain no harmful habit-forming drugs, being composed of glyceric extracts of the roots of native American medicinal forest plants. They are both sold by dealers in medicine. You can't afford to accept a substitute for one of these medicines of known composition, any secret nostrum.

Dr. Pierce's Pills, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels.

Rheumatism

Do you want to get rid of it? If so, take Dr. Miles Nerve modified as directed in pamphlet around bottle. In addition to the direct curative properties it has a soothing effect upon the nervous system by which the rheumatic pains are controlled, and rest and sleep assured. It has made many cures of this painful disease, some of them after years of suffering. If it will cure others why not you? If your case is complicated, write us for advice, it costs you nothing and may save you prolonged suffering.

"I was crippled that I could scarcely walk. After having my shoes on for an hour or two I could manage to walk by suffering the pain. Then I began to have pains all through my system. My doctor told me I had an acute attack of locomotor ataxia. I read about Dr. Miles' Nerve, bought a bottle and I commenced to get better from the start and for the past six months have scarcely any pain, and am able to walk as well as ever."

J. H. SANDERS,
P. O. Box 5, Rockaway, N. Y.
Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Nerve, and we authorize him to return price of first bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Judge Thomas J. Ballard, of this city, announced his candidacy for delegate from the Eighth district to the national convention, which will be held in June at Chicago. He is a strong Taft man and has been very active in perfecting the state organization for the war secretary. He is secretary and treasurer of the Taft club of Kentucky and a member of the Republican state central committee for this district.

Up to Legislature.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 17.—Major P. P. Johnson, adjutant general of Kentucky, who has just been elected for the tenth time president of the National Trotting association, returned from New York and will go to Florida on his annual southern sojourn. Major Johnson says the night rider troubles now rest with the legislature and he expects that body will pass such laws as will stamp out the evil. Mrs. Willson, wife of the governor, and party will go to Florida and accompany Major Johnson on a portion of his trip.

Soldiers Night Riders.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 17.—Night riders visited W. L. Cannon, a farmer living nine miles northeast of the city on the Kirmansville road. There were fifteen in the squad, all masked. They called Mr. Cannon out and told him that they had heard that he had sold his crop of tobacco outside the association, and they wanted to know if it was true. Mr. Cannon assured the night riders that the report was without foundation. The spokesman for the crowd then said:

"Well, that's all right." Fire Marshal W. F. Nelkirk, who came here Saturday, has left the city without entering into any investigation of the incendiary fires of December 7 or those that have occurred in the county since January 1. The next grand jury will meet February 24.

Victim of Night Riders.

Owingsville, Ky., Feb. 17.—Considerable mystery surrounds the death of James Snelling, of Bethel, who died from a gunshot wound.

Two stories are told of the manner in which Snelling received the wounds, but the investigation so far made has failed to show which is correct. One statement is that Snelling was shot while with the gang of night riders which attacked Thomas Everman's barn a few weeks ago, while the other story is that Snelling was murdered, and that the night riders' story is being told to shield the real slayers.

It is known that a man was shot in the attack on the Everman barn. The riders attacked the building, which was guarded, coming out into the open and firing at the guards. The shots were returned, and after possibly seventy-five shots were fired the riders left. An examination of the spot where the riders had fired at the guards showed a pool of blood. No trace was ever found of anyone who had been recently wounded in that section.

A STITCH IN TIME

With only nine 30c with a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup always kept on hand save many a spell of sickness. A sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Whooping Cough. Mrs. B. H. H. Springs, Ark., writes: "I keep a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my medicine chest, and thank my forefathers many times. It has prevented many severe spells of sickness."

Sold by J. H. Oelshlaeger, Lang Bros. and C. O. Ripley.

QUEEN THANKS J. P. MORGAN.

Alexandra to Acknowledgment Received of Art Catalogue.

London, Feb. 17.—In a personal letter to J. Pierpont Morgan thanking him for his gift of the first three volumes of the illustrated catalogue of his collection of pictures, miniatures, books and manuscripts, Queen Alexandra has expressed a wish to visit Mr. Morgan's residence in Prince's Gate, S. W., in order to view the originals. It is expected that the visit will be made in March, when the dowager empress of Russia will be here. It is likely that Mr. Morgan will be present personally to show the collection to their majesties.

THEATRICAL NOTES

Stagehand's Big Show.

"The Land of Nod" which comes to The Kentucky tomorrow night, February 18. The company, including the executive staff, musicians and stage mechanics, number 97 and is one of the largest on tour at the present time. Three 60-foot baggage cars are required to transport the scenery and effects. A giant switchboard, operated by fifteen electricians, is carried to produce the beautiful lighting effects. The care of hundreds of costumes is in charge of a complete and separate wardrobe department. Every detail of the performance is supervised by a stage manager and several assistants, quite like the management of the modern circus.

"Miss Bob White."

Nixon & Zimmerman have revived "Miss Bob White" with the little giant of comic opera, Mr. Frank DeShon, in his original part of "Billie Van Million." This favorite opera will be presented at The Kentucky on Friday, February 21. In this opera Willard Spencer, the composer, has outdone himself in capital comedy and tuneful music. Every theatergoer knows the story of "Miss Bob White," which has to do with the comical adventures of two millionaires who stroll through the country as penniless tramps in order to enjoy off an election bet. "Miss Claire Livingston" (Miss Bob White) recognizes them and assuming the dress and manners of a dairy maid, entertains them for a month on "Friend Rod's" farm. Delicate humor pervades the opera, and the whole piece is the very essence of what a real comic opera should be. Associated with Mr. DeShon will be found J. Lee McClure, Matt Hanley, Wm. Laverty, Joseph Leighton, J. J. Johnson, Walter Roberts, Joseph Gallou, Louis Scarsdale, Helen May, Zillah Harris, William Burnett and Connie Mack.

Army of Actors.

New York, Feb. 17.—Today the number is about 5,000. On December 1 it was roughly estimated at 2,500. Tomorrow?

That many actors and actresses are out of work—the 5,000 including all branches of the profession. Gloomy reports reach Broadway from Chicago and the West, where the total of idle actors must reach another thousand or two.

This army spends the day looking for work. They haunt the agencies, and the prominent ones, like Mrs. Packard and the vaudeville bookkeeping headquarters, are thronged. The anterooms of all the managers, even the elevators and hallways in the buildings where their offices are located, overflow with actors seeking engagements.

Daniel Frohman said that there were several reasons for the unprecedented bad theatrical season and the consequent lack of employment for the actors. Mr. Frohman, after giving the financial depression its place as the chief reason, said that the construction of too many theatres in New York and throughout the country and the lack of satisfactory plays helped to make failures and contributed to the present condition.

A well-informed looking agent said that more than fifty companies had gone to smash since the holidays. As many more were shaky, he said, and were only continuing their tours because they received help from New York headquarters.

In the neighborhood of Broadway and Forty-second street, where actors congregate every afternoon, hard luck stories are heard on every hand. The tales of stranded actors and penniless actresses were never so numerous.

At the Lambs Club half a dozen actors of the first class, who a year ago had been eagerly sought by various managers, last night discussed the advisability of renting a theatre now vacant and organizing a company on the co-operative basis. They found they couldn't pay the first month's rent!

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Daily Thought.

"Every moment of life is a moun-
dment of mercy."

What a liar a man must be to be
able to deceive himself.

The Ohio is just showing what it
may do later on.

The navy department should in-
clude plenty of pepsin with the sup-
plies for Evans' fleet.

It makes no difference now whether
you take it straight or with a little
syrup in it, the department of agri-
culture can define it.

Congressman Burton didn't lose his
hold on his district. He ran for mayor
of Cleveland with one hand. Maybe,
that is the reason he didn't get it.

The sham of the favorite son can-
didacy is appearing, as the various
"favorite sons" attempt to put their
respective state delegations into their
respective vice pockets. Illinoisans
do not expect Joe Cannon to be nomi-
nated, and they do not intend that he
shall cast the vote of the state for
whomsoever he listeth. When Can-
non is over the way the delegates
will get on the band wagon. The
same situation exists in Indiana.

SOME DEMOCRATIC POLITICS.

Now we observe the favorite sons
of Democracy going after the state de-
legations to the Denver convention.
Our own Ollie James is the vice presi-
dential quantity of the congressional
collees. Our Ollie is the original
Bryan man, and Kentucky has proven
a fickle jade to Brynnish. Twice the
Peerless One has been embarrassed
by the state and there is no doubt
that his prestige was sadly injured,
when the state turned against Lager,
after Bryan's tour, and the legisla-
ture remained adamant to his plea for
Beckham. A delegation chosen to
support Ollie James for vice-presi-
dent, especially if Ollie should be al-
lowed to pick it out himself, would be
for Bryan, "first, last and all the
time."

In Ohio we see the Cincinnati En-
quirer supporting Judson Harmon, at-
torney general under Cleveland, for
president. John R. McLean, perhaps,
wants the Ohio delegation for some
purpose. Harmon might develop into
a strong vice-presidential possibility.
He is regular in his Democracy, and
yet he represents the so-called "con-
servative" wing. Joined with Bryan,
he might serve in a way to cement the
two elements into something like a
national party.

Ollie James would be most satis-
factory to the Bryan element, and he
has this in his favor: Democrats ad-
mit openly that Kentucky is doubtful,
and in their own hearts that it is Re-
publican. It might do to nominate
Ollie for vice-president, hoping that
home pride would carry the state for
the ticket.

UPHOLD THE LAW.

How much better is the plan of the
Ballard county tobacco association
than that adopted on the east side of
the river. The western district asso-
ciations have been awaiting patiently
the outcome of the suits to test the
validity of the pool, and having learn-
ed that the contract "will hold water,"
they are going about in a legal way

to make the pool hold tobacco. Suits
for damages from those who have
violated the agreement and "dipped"
their tobacco, and restraining orders
to prevent those who have not dis-
posed of theirs, delivering it to buy-
ers, will be instituted at the April
term of the Ballard circuit court. It
is said that this will be the policy in
every western district county. Such
legal methods add dignity to the char-
acter of the pool; they have a re-
straining force on those who join
b-reafter; the effect is just as salutary
as that of physical intimidation, with-
out the train of ill that follow law-
lessness and injure the lawless as well
as the law-abiding.

If the western district tobacco
planters have patience to abide by
their agreement and await the results
of legal actions, and exhibit honesty
in their dealings with the purchasers
of their tobacco, they will find them-
selves in a favored section of the
Black Patch, with prosperity at a
premium, life and happiness undis-
turbed, and a ready market for their
product.

The east side of the river presents
an example, that should be a warning
to the western district. If such a thing
is ever needed by the character of
people who inhabit the Purchase,
starting with plant bed scraping, and
progressing through barn burnings to
town raiding, the night riders now
find it necessary to perpetuate their
organization and take risks, riding in-
to towns and intimidating people, who
"talk too much." And it is a risk, for
two night riders met their death in the
Hopkinsville raid, and none of them
ever knows that he will not be the
next luckless victim of a "pot shot."
They forfeit all right to mercy, who
take the law into their own hands.

It is an easy step from whipping
buyers to whipping men who "talk
too much." Men who burn other
people's property and assault them,
are sensitive about their reputations.
It will be a shorter step from whip-
ping men who talk, to warning peo-
ple, whose conduct in other matters
does not conform to the social theo-
ries of some members of the night
riders. Soon, we fear, the band will
find itself led into all sorts of com-
plications by the indiscretions of its
members.

Landlords and employers have been
warned to get rid of the negroes. Per-
haps, some of the night riders do not
own ground, but work for others, and
they think with the negro eliminated
as an industrial factor, the demand
for labor will increase and wages will
reach a fancy figure. All sorts of
crimes and outrages will be laid at
the door of the night riders, and those
who are tired of it all, and repeat
their initiation into lawlessness, will
be swept on by the current into which
they have voluntarily launched, find-
ing it necessary to perpetuate their
compact and association with disso-
lute and reckless characters for their
own protection, outlawed and unable
to moor at any bank.

Property values in Hopkinsville and
the other towns of that section are de-
moralized, and men, who would sell
their farms and get out of the country,
can not find purchasers at anything
like the natural value of the land.
Every man's hand is against every
other man in that country; for when
men band together on some unlawful
mission, the spirit of brotherhood can
not abide with them, regardless of
their futile oaths. It is only a mutuality
of fear that holds them together.
It is that haunting fear that sent them
to Eddyville to whip those citizens;
but sooner or later an oath will be
broken, perhaps in the cups, and then
there will be murder. Thus feuds
are begun, and a hundred years may
not see the end of the outrages in the
Pennyrile, and the last shot may be
fired and the last torch applied, when
men have forgotten how the trouble
originated.

There is no crime more hideous
than incendiarism. There is nothing
that calls into the ascendancy the
brute instinct, more than does destruc-
tion of life and property. A man may
steal to relieve a necessity and never
steal again; but active participation
in the work of destruction awakens a
frenzy that often proves not easily as-
suaged.

Better stay within the law. Where-
in the association is right, it will
eventually triumph; but it must be by
right methods. Planters are asking
the protection of the law against the
aggressions of the tobacco trust. So
they should keep within the law them-
selves. Some planters for various
reasons have not seen fit to join the
organization; and so physical violence
has been resorted to in the effort to
induce such men to unite their fortu-
nes with the pool. But while this
system of coercion was widening the
sphere of the association, and elimi-
nating the independent planter from
the situation, it was also alienating
the sympathy of a great mass of law-
abiding citizens and newspapers, of
the state, which otherwise would have
supported the planters, and creating
a feeling of disgust, no doubt, in the
minds of many men, who had to stand
by the deeds of violence for self-pro-
tection.

Lawlessness carries with it the
germ of its own destruction.

Owensboro, also, is proposing to
bridge the Ohio.

Warring Democratic factions in the
Kentucky legislature are expected to
bury the county unit bill instead of
the proverbial hatchet.

"Dr. Bruner will have to get very
busy if he stems the Taft tide in this
state. It begins to look like the big
secretary will be first, the rest no
where," says the Kentucky State
Journal. Oh, Bruner, will be riding
the tide before Long.

The Spoilers.

By REX E. BEACH.

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(Continued from last issue.)

"Snit yourself," said he, "but if I'm
not mistaken you'll never rest till
you've seen those papers. I've studied
you, and I'll place a bet that you can't
marry McNamara or look your uncle
in the eye till you know the truth.
You might do either if you knew them
to be crooks, but you couldn't if you
only suspected it—that's the woman.
When you get ready, come back. I'll
show you proof, because I don't claim
to be anything but what I am—Wilton
Struve, bargainer of some mean abil-
ity. When they come to describe my
handstone I hope they can curve there-
on with truth. 'The got value re-
ceived.'"

"You're a panther," she said lout-
hly.
"Graceful and elegant brute, that,"
he laughed. "Affectionate and full of
play, but with sharp teeth and sharper
claws. To follow out the idea, which
pleases me, I believe the creature owes
no loyalty to its fellows, and hunts
alone. Now, when you've followed this
conspiracy out and placed the blame
where it belongs, won't you come and
tell me about it? That door leads into
an outer hall which opens into the
street. No one will see you come or
go."

As she hurried along she wondered
dazedly why she had stayed to listen
so long. What a monster he was! His
meaning was plain, had always been
so from the first day he had laid eyes
on her, and he was utterly conscienceless.
She had known all this; and yet, in her
pride, youthful confidence, and in her
need, every hour more desperate and
urgent, to know the truth, she had
dared risk herself with him. Within
the man was shrewd and observant
and had divined her mental condition
with remarkable sagacity. She had
failed with him; but the girl now knew
that she could never rest till she found
an answer to her questions. She must
kill this suspicion that ate into her.
She thought tenderly of her uncle's
goodness to her, clung with despairing
faith to the last of her kin. The blood
ties of the Chesters were close and
she felt in dire need of that lost brother
who was somewhere in this mysterious
land—need of some one in whom ran
the strain that bound her to the weak
old man up yonder. There was Mc-
Namara; but how could he help her,
how much did she know of him, this
man who was now within the darkest
shadow of her new suspicions?

Feeling almost intolerably friendless
and alone, weakened both by her re-
cent fright and by her encounter with
Struve, Helen considered as calmly as
her emotions would allow and decided
that this was no day in which pride
should figure. There were facts which
it was imperative she should know,
and immediately; therefore, a few min-
utes later, she knocked at the door of
Cherry Malotte.

When the girl appeared, Helen was
astounded to see that she had been
crying. Tears burn hottest and leave
plainest trace in eyes where they come
most seldom. The younger girl could
not guess the tumult of emotion the
other had undergone during her ab-
sence, the utter depths of self abasement
she had fathomed, for the sight
of Helen and her fresh young beauty
had aroused in the adventures a very
tempest of bitterness and jealousy.

Whether Helen Chester were guilty or
innocent, how could Glenister hesitate
between them? Cherry had asked her-
self. Now she stared at her visitor in-
hospitably and without sign.

"Will you let me come in?" Helen
asked her. "I have something to say
to you."

When they were inside, Cherry Mal-
lotte stood and gazed at her visitor

with inscrutable eyes and stony face.

"It isn't easy for me to come back,"
Helen began, "but I felt that I had to.
If you can help me, I hope you will.
You said that you knew a great wrong
was being done. I have suspected it,
but I didn't know, and I've been afraid
to doubt my own people. You said I
had a part in it—that I'd betrayed my
friends. Wait a moment," she hurried on,
at the other's cynical smile. "Won't
you tell me what you know and what
you think my part has been? I've
heard and seen things that make me
think—oh, they make me afraid to
think, and yet I can't find the truth!
You see, in a struggle like this, people
will make all sorts of allegations, but
do they know, have they any proof,
that my uncle has done wrong?"

"Is that all?"
"No. You said Struve told you the
whole scheme. I went to him and
tried to enjoy the story out of him,
but—" She faltered at the memory.
"What success did you have?" in-
quired the listener, oddly curious for
all her cold dislike.

"Don't ask me. I hate to think of
it."

Cherry laughed cruelly. "So, failing
there, you came back to me, back for
another favor from the wolf. Well,
Miss Helen Chester, I don't believe
a word you've said, and I'll tell you
nothing. Go back to the uncle and the
rawboned lover who sent you, and in-
form them that I'll speak when the
time comes. They think I know too
much, do they?—so they've sent you to
spy? Well, I'll make a compact. You
play your game, and I'll play mine.
Leave Glenister alone, and I'll not tell
on McNamara. Is it a bargain?"

"No, no, no! Can't you see? That's
not it. All I want is the truth of this
thing."

"Then go back to Struve and get it.
He'll tell you; I won't. Drive your har-
gain with him—you're able. You've
fooled better men—now, see what you
can do with him."

Helen left, realizing the futility of
further effort, though she felt that this
woman did not really doubt her, but
was scourged by jealousy till she de-
liberately chose this attitude.

Reaching her own house, she wrote
two brief notes and called in her Jan-
ney from the kitchen.

"Fred, I want you to hunt up Mr.
Glenister and give him this note. If
you can't find him, then look for his
partner and give the other to him."

Fred vanished, to return in an hour
with the letter for Dextray still in his
hand.

"I don't catch this fellow," he ex-
plained. "Young man says he's come,
come back maybe one, two, 'leven days."
"Did you deliver the ome to Mr. Glen-
ister?"

"Yes, ma'am."
"Was there an answer?"
"Yes, ma'am."
"Well, give it to me."

The note read:
Dear Miss Chester—A discussion of a
matter so familiar to us both as the Anvil
creek controversy would be useless. If
your inclination is due to the incidents of
last night, pray don't trouble yourself.
We don't want your pity. I am your serv-
ant.
ROY GLENISTER.

As she read the note, Judge Stillman
entered, and it seemed to the girl that
he had aged a year for every hour in
the last twelve, or else the yellow af-
ternoon light flamed the sagging fol-
lows and baggard lines of his face
most pitilessly, the shrewd in voice
and manner the nervous burden under
which he labored.

"Alec has told me about your en-
gagement, and it lifts a terrible load
from me. I'm mighty glad you're going
to marry him. He's a wonderful man,
and he's the only one who can save us."

"What do you mean by that? What
are we in danger of?" she inquired,
avoiding discussion of McNamara's
announcement.

"Why, that mob, of course. They'll
come back. They said so. But Alec
can handle the commanding officer at
the post, and, thanks to him, we'll have
soldiers guarding the house hereafter."

"Why—they won't hurt us?"
"Tut, tut! I know what I'm talk-
ing about. We're in worse danger
now than ever, and if we don't break
up those vigilantes there'll be blood-
shed—that's what. They're a nuisance,
and they're trying to force me off the
bench so they can take the law into
their own hands again. That's what I
want to see about. They're plan-
ning to kill Alec and me—so he says—
and we've got to act quick to prevent
murder. Now, this young Glenister is
one of them, and he knows who the
rest are. Do you think you could get
him to talk?"

"I don't think I quite understand
you," said the girl, through whitening
lips.

"Oh, yes, you do. I want the names
of the ringleaders, so that I can jail
them. You can worm it out of that fel-
low if you try."

Helen looked at the old man in a hor-
ror that at first was dumb. "You ask
this of me?" she demanded hoarsely
at last.

"Nonsense," he said irritably. "This
isn't any time for silly scruples. It's
life or death for me, maybe, and for
Alec too." He said the last craftily,
but she stormed at him:

"It's infamous! You're asking me to
betray the very man who saved us
not twelve hours ago. He risked his
life for us."

"It isn't treachery at all. It's pro-
tection. If we don't get them, they'll
get us. I wouldn't punish that young
fellow, but I want the others. Come
now, you've got to do it."

But she said "No" firmly, and quietly
went to her own room, where, be-
hind the locked door, she sat for a long
time staring with unseeing eyes, her hands
tight clinched in her lap. At last she
whispered:

"I'm afraid it's true. I'm afraid it's
true."

She remained hidden during the
dinner hour, and pleaded a headache
when McNamara called in the early
evening. Although she had not seen
him since he left her the night before,
bearing her tacit promise to wed him,
yet how could she meet him now with
the conviction growing on her hourly
that he was a master rogue? She

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238	Hoyd, Dr. Frank, office.	656	Green, Joe, res.		Whist Club.
1242	Hoyer, E. M., res.	10	Hawkins, H. P. & Sons, whole- sale feed.	97	Paducah Dental Parlor.
335	Hedges Bros., grocery.	491	Hendrick, W. R., real estate and fire insurance.	401	Paducah Printing and Book Binding Co.
975	Chagle, C. M., res.	971	Hendrick & Corbett, atty's.	410	Paducah Undertaking Co.
117	Chick, Mrs. J. S., res.	145	Hub Clothing Store.	106	Pennington, R. H. & Co., wholesale fruit.
1102	Chinese Laundry.	394	Jones, Casper, res.	542	Priester, B. J., res.
1171	Clark, Rev. J. R., res.	1266	Jones, T. A., res.	1520	Rehkopf, J. H., res.
436	Clements, H. D. & Co., book- store.	224	Kutterjohn W. R., res.	881	Riker, C. M., res.
1666	Clements, R. D., res.	1063	Knights of Columbus.	229	Robertson, Theo. H., res.
790	Craig, Dr. J. Edwin, res.	80	Lee, C. C., wall paper.	705	Rock, Theo. J.
125	Cross, D. A., city judge.	1016	Leibel, Chris., grocery.	1263	Rogers, John, res.
116	Cross, D. A., res.	1948	Levy's Store, Levy Lee, prop.	1326	Seck, Walter, res.
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211	Davis, Rodney C., res.	1327	McAughan, J. J., res.	1361	Southside Pressing Club.
911	Deakins, W. D., res.	62	McCracken Real Estate and Mortgage Co.	695	Stamfield, Joe, res.
1148	Dickerson, C. L., res.	1614	McIntyre, Maurice, res.	818	Tucker, Carl, grocery.
341	Dippee, Geo., grocery.	1197	Metzger, C. E., res.	286	Vine & Co., drugs.
834	Edwards, Hugh, res.	154	Metzger, Frank, res.	251	Voris, Dr. J. V., office.
265	Farley, J. C., drug store.	513	Miller, W. T. & Bro., pianos organs.	335	West Kentucky Coal Co., office.
345	Farley, J. C., res.	375	Miller, W. T., res.	1011	Watts, Geo., res.
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1027	Farrington, I. D., res.	277	Morris, E. H., res.	1346	Wilhelm, John, newsdealer.
235	Fynn, T. J., res.	60	O'Brien, E. J. & Co., tobacco warehouse.	520	Wolpert, Inc., res.
1602	Fooks, Rev. D. W., res.			1291	Zeller & Shaffer, blacksmiths.
819	Galvin, Dan, saloon.				
707	Galvin, Dan, res.				

THE HOME PHONE

wrestled with the thought that he had
her uncle, her own uncle who stood in
the place of a father, were conspirators.
And yet, at memory of the
Judge's cold blooded request that she
should turn traitress, her whole being
revolted. If he could ask a thing like
that, what other heartless, selfish
not might he not be capable of? All
the long solitary evening she had her
room, but at last, feeling faint, slipped
down stairs in search of Fred, for she
had eaten nothing since her late break-
fast.

Voices reached her from the parlor,
and as she came to the last step she
froze there in an attitude of listen-
ing.

She froze there in an attitude of listen-
ing.

The first sentence she heard through
the close drawn curtains banished all
qualms of eavesdropping. She stood
for many breathless minutes drinking
in the plot that came to her phantly
from within, then turned, gathered up
her skirts, and tiptoed back to her
room. Here she made haste muddle,
tearing off her house clothes and don-
ning others.

She pressed her face to the window
and noted that the night was like a
close hung velvet pall, without a star
in sight. Nevertheless, she would a
heavy veil about her but and face be-
hind she extinguished the light and
stepped into the hall. Hearing Mc-
Namara's "Good night" at the front door,
she retreated again while her uncle
slowly mounted the stairs and paused
before her chamber. He called her
name softly, but when she did not an-
swer continued on to his own room.
When he was safely within she de-
scended quietly, went out, and locked
the front door behind her, placing the
key in her bosom. She hurried now,
feeling her way through the thick
gloom in a panic, while in her mind
was but one frightened thought:
"It'll be too late. It'll be too late."

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Thistlewood Elected.
Calro, Ill., Feb. 17.—Capt. N. H.
Thistlewood, Republican candidate for
congress in the Twenty-fifth Illinois
district, was elected at the special
election Saturday to fill the vacancy
caused by the death of George W.
Smith, defeating William H. Warder,
his Democratic opponent, by over 4,
000 majority.

Clarence Monteth, a well known
river man, was drowned by falling
overboard on a barge of the Heaver's
tow when she passed down the Ohio
last Thursday morning. Monteth
was drowned below Paducah a few
miles. He was in charge of the
barges the Heaver was towing for
Harrett & Son. Mrs. Monteth was
on the boat at the time her husband
was drowned. The body has not yet
been recovered from the river.

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SOCIETY ADJOURNS

WHEN HELLAR RISES TO POINT
OF "PERSONAL PRIVILEGE."Her Point Catches Ora Miller on the
Temple and Both Are Fined
\$20 and Costs.

Great must have been the joy at
the "High Tea" party given Saturday
night by colored people living near
Twelfth and Jones

THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.

—Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call up The Sun office, both phones 358. E. J. Paxton.

—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

—Dr. Warner, veterinarian, treatment of domestic animals. Both phones 131.

—We can give you the finest carriages in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Transfer Company.

—Hubber stamps made to order. Superior price markers, brass and aluminum checks of all kinds. Hubber stamp necessities. The Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third street. Phone 358.

—The New York World almanac for 1923 just received at H. D. Clements & Co.

—Carriage work of all kinds. Painting, repainting, rubber tires, etc. Spring wagons made to order. We are offering special inducements for early orders. Sexton Sign Works. Phone 401.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing us great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—Fire burned a large hole in the roof of the residence of George Bernhardt, 1614 Broadway, about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Fire companies Nos. 1, 2 and 4 answered the alarm and the blaze was extinguished in a few minutes. No damage of consequence was done.

—Notice was served on Trustee C. C. Kelly, secretary of the school board, to leave members of the school board, for the past four years, in court tomorrow morning. The minutes were wanted in the case of C. M. Loh, former superintendent against the school board for salary from August 1 to September 1.

—On a charge of molesting, Ray Maden, George Simmons and Frank McCarty, all cosmopolitans, were arranged in police court this morning and fined \$5 each. They were arrested by Patrolman Hurley on a charge of molesting near the Union station. According to their statements they were on their way to Louisville to get positions in restaurants.

—Evergreen Grove, Woodmen Circle, will give a dance at Red Men's hall Tuesday evening, February 18. Tickets 50 cents. The committee reserves the right to refuse anybody they wish.

—John Butler, who has served a term in jail for bootlegging, took the insolvent debtors' oath this morning and was released from custody.

—Street cars did not run on the Gregory Heights car line yesterday owing to about 20 feet of the road-bed having washed away Saturday.

—A washing occurred, where the track branches off from the park line. The track is not damaged, and workmen are replacing the rutted.

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FRED WYATT HAS THINGS HIS WAY FOR SHORT TIME

In the arrest of Fred Wyatt the police believe they have a bad man. Wyatt, it is alleged, had things going his way in the railroad yards Saturday night, and secured several small sums of money by the holdup method until Patrolmen Singery and Carter arrested him at Thompson's boarding house, Twelfth street and Broadway, where he kicked in the door and ran very wildly into the street, it is said.

It is said that Wyatt has been working for the railroad several days. When the belated Carbondale train arrived about 6:30 o'clock, it is alleged Wyatt had a fight with Dutch Cherry, a colored switchman, near Eleventh street and Broadway and the fight Cherry had a cut around his head that nearly scared him. In the affray another colored switchman, whose name could not be learned, came to Cherry's aid and received a stab at his heart. Only the clothes were cut and the skin was barely grazed.

Proceeding up the railroad track, it is alleged, that Wyatt jumped on the engine of the Nash and showing his long knife demanded that Nash turn over his roll. The fireman jumped on the engine and seeing trouble ahead, Wyatt slipped out. Next Joe Lee, a small boy, was approached and his money demanded, but Lee was spey and by lively running escaped the highwayman.

John Fuller was approached by Wyatt and under threats of having his throat cut gave the highwayman his money, which consisted of one dime. Then, it is alleged, Wyatt met Dan Edson, a colored switchman, and in the same manner made the negro hand over 25 cents. Lincoln's shoemaker, foreman of the engines for the Illinois Central, was nexted by Wyatt and contributed 25 cents to Wyatt's purse.

After the robbing, it is alleged, Wyatt went to his boarding house, Twelfth street and Broadway, and kicked in the door and made life miserable for everybody. Patrolmen Carter and Singery were on Wyatt's trail and soon put him under arrest. When he was carried to the police station Wyatt said he was from Nashville, and told a pathetic story. This morning in court Wyatt answered not ready for trial. He has telegraphed for his father and probably will employ counsel.

Saturday was pay-day, and the highwayman may have thought he would meet some railroad man with his wallet and then skip town. Dan Edson swore out the warrant against Wyatt, and if the other victims swear out warrants it may take Wyatt some time to obtain his freedom.

ILLINOIS JUDGE GETS BACK AT PRESIDENT IN CANNON MOVEMENT.

How "Immunity Bath" of Humphrey Censured the Anti-Taft Movement.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 17.—A dramatic phase of the attempt to put Illinois in the anti-Taft lists came to light when it was discovered that Judge J. Otis Humphrey, of the United States district court, was one of the instigators of the "punch clubbers' convention" Thursday at Litchfield. Judge Humphrey is the jurist whose decision giving the "immunity bath" to the picketers in the beef suits in 1906 brought a special message to congress from President Roosevelt, declaring that the Humphrey finding made the outcome of the trial a "miscarriage of justice," and that it came "measurably near making the law a farce." The president's message, which was presented to congress April 18, 1906, further asserted that "the interpretation of Judge Humphrey of the will of the congress as expressed in legislation is such as to make that will absolutely abortive."

No rejoinder was made by Judge Humphrey. Smirking under the president's reproaches, however, the jurist is said by his friends to have been quietly unrolling a plan of retaliation, and when "Uncle Joe" Cannon first began to scheme to deliver Illinois to the reactionaries in the national convention the judge was quick to join the movement.

WOUNDS HIMSELF WHILE PLAYING WITH PISTOL.

Joe Cuhle, colored, of Benton, accidentally shot himself in the left leg this morning. He was driving through from Benton to this city, and was playing with a .41 Colt's revolver when it went off. The ball entered just below the knee and went through the calf of his leg to the ankle. He came to this city and had the ball extracted.

Troops Are Held.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Receipt of messages from Fairbanks, Alaska, stating that quiet prevails, makes it unnecessary to send troops from Fort Gibbons at present. They are being held under orders.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Married in This City. Mr. George F. Moore, of Florence Station, and Miss Scottie White, of Bardwell, were married Sunday at the residence of Mr. Samuel Robertson, 1300 Jackson street. The Rev. S. B. Moore, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. Miss White is a sister of Mrs. Robertson and is very popular among her acquaintances. Mr. Moore is a well known McCracken county farmer.

O'Laughlin-Taylor. The marriage of Miss Agnes O'Laughlin and Mr. Jesse William Taylor took place this morning at 10 o'clock at the parsonage of the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church. The Rev. Father H. W. Jansen performed the ceremony. It was a quiet wedding with only the relatives and most intimate friends present. The attendants were Miss Audrey Taylor and Mr. Clifford Blackburn. The bride wore a stylish tailored suit of brown cloth with hat, shoes and gloves of harmonizing shades. Miss Taylor wore a brown street suit.

The couple left at noon for Louisville and after a bridal trip east will be at home at 919 Clay street.

Evening Card Party in Honor of the Misses Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell Flournoy will entertain at cards on Wednesday evening at their home on Jefferson boulevard in honor of the Misses Thomas, of Athens, Ga., who are the guests of Mrs. W. P. Bradshaw, Jr.

Enjoyable Birthday Party. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Temple entertained in honor of the eighteenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Edith Temple, at their home near Maxon mill, on Saturday evening.

It was a delightful occasion with a large number of guests present. They were: Misses Lela Miller, Lorena Ghelston, Bertha Boyd, Artie Sanderson, Myron Hodge, Jr., Dora Draffen, May Patterson, Susie Vance, Eddie Maxon, Florence Jones, Elizabeth Jones, Laddie Greenwell, Grace Billington, Jimmy Saylor, May Young, Jamie Jones, Edith Temple, Messrs. Lynn B. Phillips, Keener Rudolph, Henry Buchanan, Acton Cox, Troy Griffith, John Polk, Solon Gilson, Leo Austin, Clint Hardie, Terner Williams, Holly Greenwell, Oscar Coleman, Tommie Jones, Virgil Brown, Harry Temple, Sherman Gains, Charles Ferguson, W. T. Harbison, Earl Young, Sam Smith.

Of Interest in Paducah.

Mrs. Zack Montgomery and the Misses Montgomery entertained last week in many delightful ways, says the Frankfort correspondent of the Courier-Journal. On Friday the young couple was given a dinner of several courses, to which all the Montgomerys of the name were bidden to welcome the newcomer in their midst. Mr. Montgomery is Mr. Thomas Edison's chief assistant in his office, and is a man of wealth and culture. His wedding was quite romantic. It was while attending the graduating exercises of his young cousin, Miss Mason Montgomery, at Smith's college, that he met the statuesque Miss Marian Dana, also one of the "sweet girl graduates."

After an ardent courtship of five months he persuaded the young woman that he could not attend to electric coils and batteries while his own heart was so enmeshed in her lovable personality. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery left for the handsome home that the groom had provided for his bride.

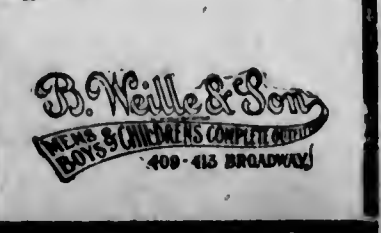
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who were then not grown, have frequently visited in Paducah, some years ago, and are pleasantly remembered here. The Montgomerys lived once in Eldysville, where Mr. Zack Montgomery and brother had some prison contracts.

Box Party at The Kentucky. Mr. Leo Keller was host of a box party on Saturday night at the Kentucky theater at the "Royal Chef" performance. Included in the party were: Misses Helen Hills, Nella Hatfield, Ethel Sights, Henri Alcott, Messrs. Leo Keller, Robert Guthrie, Milton Wallerstein, Warren Sights.

Mr. S. P. Edison, marshal of Wickliffe, has returned home. Mr. Edison was witness in the case against William Lett, the bootlegger.

Mrs. William McCullum has returned home from Macy, Ind., after attending the funeral of her father, Mr. Whit Fisher.

Flagman William Elrod, of the Illinois Central, has recovered from an attack of grip.

Dr. William Lovey Beck, of the Illinois Central, who has been seriously ill of malaria and rheumatism, is improving. He is in the railroad hospital.

General Foreman J. R. Thompson, of the Illinois Central yards at Princeton, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Walter Clarke, traveling salesman for the Meyer-Schmidt-Carl wholesale grocery house, is ill of the grip at the hotel at Hardin, Ky., where he was stricken while making a trip overland through Marshall county last week. Information received by friends here yesterday is that Mr. Clarke is improving.

Col. John Theobald, who is ill of pneumonia, continues to improve at his home on the Mayfield road.

Mr. George Theobald arrived yesterday from Richmond, Va., to attend the bedside of his father, Col. John Theobald, who is ill of pneumonia.

Little Miss Katherine Noble, who is ill of fever, is resting easier today.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lina, of Nashville, arrived last week to visit Mr. Lina's father, B. B. Lina, special agent of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad, who is quite ill of grip.

Mr. W. S. Mills went to Murray on a business trip this morning.

Mrs. May Duncan and little son were in the city this morning en route to their home at Culvert City, after visiting friends at Brookport.

Miss Clara Stewart is ill of malaria fever at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stewart, 1306 Broadway.

Col. Mike Griffin went to Murray this morning after spending Sunday with his family here.

Mr. Rufus Story foreman of the Mason Ford collar factory, at the Kentucky penitentiary, spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in the city.

Mr. Joe Roth, one of the proprietors of the Diamond Stamp company, is ill of grip at his home.

E. F. Van Leon, of 815 Monroe street, has returned from Kansas City. Senator J. Wheeler Campbell has returned to Frankfort.

Miss Alice Liles, of 314 Broadway, went to Louisville to visit her brother.

Mr. C. W. Edwards, of Vicksburg, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Young Taylor, of 421 Ohio street, is recovering after a three weeks' illness of the grip.

Mr. Tom Coburn will leave at 6:10 tonight for Memphis and other cities in Tennessee on a business trip.

Edwood Neely, deputy United States marshal, left today for Bardwell and Wickliffe to serve summons in civil cases.

Hon. John K. Hendrick is attending circuit court at Madisonville.

Mrs. J. C. Benson is very low at her home on South Fifth street.

Mr. William Henth, of Heath, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. S. Z. Holland, of Grahamville.

Miss Ruby Harrison, of Grahamville, is ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Sanderson, of Mayfield, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Gore, of Lone Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smither, of Grahamville, are parents of a fine girl baby born yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Holland, of Trimble street, has returned from Maxon mill after visiting her mother, Mrs. Molly Trewnila, of Maxon mill.

Messrs. Carl and Arthur Knowles spent Sunday in Princeton visiting friends.

Miss Virginia Newell spent Sunday in Paris, Tenn., visiting her mother, Mrs. T. J. Newell.

Attorney Charles C. Grassham will go to Cairo in the morning on legal business.

Mrs. D. D. Mitchell.

News has reached the city of the death of Mrs. D. D. Mitchell, wife of D. D. Mitchell, proprietor of the Mitchell hotel of Charleston, Mo. Mrs. Mitchell was the oldest sister of Capt. W. H. Edwards, of this city.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 17.—The American fleet, which is standing up the west coast of South America, is expected to arrive at Callao next Thursday and the government has ordered that Rear Admiral Evans be tendered the honors of vice admiral. The cruiser Caron Bolognoli left Callao last night for this port. Everything is in readiness at Lima and Callao for a glorious welcome to the American visitors.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The senate judiciary committee authorized favorable reports on the nomination of Thomas Ward, Jr., district attorney for Colorado, and John Embury to be district attorney of Oklahoma.

NEWS OF COURTS

In Circuit Court. Judge Reed again called the equity docket for this term of court this morning, shuffling up the pleadings, that those cases ready for trial this term may be disposed of. A large number of cases were continued and others where settlements have been made were stricken. After tomorrow the court will begin taking up the cases as they come and dispose of the docket.

In Police Court. Troubles of 21 defendants were tried in police court this morning. It seemed like everybody and his little brother had some trouble between Sunday night and Monday morning. The prisoners were jammed together on the bench and several enjoyed the unusual luxury of chairs. The docket was: Drunk—John Ayres, Charles Davis, Tom Ford, \$1 and costs. Disorderly conduct—Thomas Dickie, \$30 and costs. Drunk and disorderly—Frank McCarty, \$30 and costs. Mischief—Ray Hanlin, George Simmons, Frank McCarty, \$5 and costs. Immorality—Lettie Taylor and Victor Constantine, \$30 and costs each. Gaming—Will Kane, Marshall Davis, Orris Hale, Henry Hale, \$20 and costs; Frank Bowman, Will Hill, John Williams, John Gallispe, dismissed. Itch of peace—Beulah Alexander, Ora Miller, \$20 and costs. Robbery—Fred Wyatt, continued until Wednesday.

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GOES AFTER ALLEGED TELEPHONE LOBBYISTS.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 17.—A sensation was created in the state senate today when Senator Engle, of Nat. chez, offered a resolution instructing the sergeant-at-arms to eject from the senate chamber all lobbyists connected with the Cumberland Telephone company. Mr. Engle made a spirited speech denouncing the lobbyists of that company were using influences of almost every character to defeat his bill requiring telephone companies to make physical connections.

Great Theater Will Remain Chicago, Feb. 17.—Officers of the Auditorium association, which owns and leases the Auditorium building, declared today that the story that the theater was to be torn out of the building was unfounded. The story originated, they said, in the fact that an architect had drawn plans for certain changes in the building, but the plans had not been adopted and no changes are contemplated.

Manager Connie Mack insists that Rube Waddell still is a good pitcher, but that he just couldn't stand his peculiar ways.

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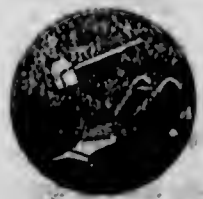
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SEVENTY-FIVE MILES OF HOGS

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NEWS FROM THE WINDY CITY.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—"Imagine, if you can, hogs, in a single file, 75 miles long," exclaimed the stock yards statistician, trying graphically to convey an idea of the record day's receipts of porkers, 89,365 of them and getting laconic at his task. "Imagine that porcine procession passing a given point, how long do you suppose it would take, supposing the hogs would keep in line, head and tail, as, of course, they wouldn't. Again, how much pork did that one-day receipt of hogs make? Think of it, nearly 1,000 tons of pig! Made into sausages that would be a girdle of wolverine that would encircle the federal building of Chicago sixteen hundred times.

It would be useless enough to extend from one end of Illinois to the other. If box cars were loaded to 30,000 capacity with that amount of pig there would be two big trainloads. Most of these hogs were brought to Chicago by western railroads. This record eclipsed the best previous one by 14,814. All of the animals unloaded at Chicago last week would have required a train 20 miles long and all of them netted in cash over \$5,000,000 to the shippers.

All other livestock markets, St. Paul, Sioux City, Omaha, St. Joseph and Kansas City have had plenty of hogs and the month of March promises to continue the shipments. "You wouldn't have guessed there were so many pigs in the world," sighed the stock yard statistician, watching train load after trainload roll in from the south, west and north. The railroad's shares of the big day's deluge shows the way various localities marketed their "mortgage lifters." C. & N.W., 26,192; C. M. & St. Paul, 20,240; C. R. I. & P., 15,922; C. B. & Q., 9,363; I. C., 9,210; and Great Western, 5,718. The week's arrivals amounted to over 2,500 carloads.

Nickle Shows Shut Down. Over 100 of the 5-cent theaters of Chicago have closed their doors because of the advance in the price of films—a little matter of 100 per cent—for the moving picture machine. These nickel theaters have spread about Chicago like lights in the city at dusk but it is commonly reported that the film manufacturers have effected a combination strong enough to double their prices at one coup. The marvelous cinematograph, microscope, bioscope, kinodrome and other devices have sprung into sudden popularity and disrepute according to the character of their moving pictures, some of which have been summarily suppressed because the patrons of the nickel theaters are largely children. Showmen made sudden fortunes from the inventions but there soon will be



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Several hundred of them in this city, as in all the big cities, who will sadly survey their gilded entrances, their iron clad leases and their idle equipment and sigh for the days and nights of crowded houses.

RAILROAD NOTES

An abundance of work was awaiting the employees of the Illinois Central shops this morning, the number of loaded cars on the tracks for repairs being far in excess of any morning for several months. The conditions are cheering to the men in all departments and with the beginning of the spring business, it is expected that the hours will be increased and full time required to handle the business.

The pay car left this morning at 6:30 to pay off the employees between Paducah and Memphis.

Master Car Builder T. M. Haughan is much improved today and expects to be able to leave the hospital the latter part of this week.

Col. W. A. Flowers, the veteran baggage agent at the Union station, has suffered a relapse of the grip and is confined to his bed today. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

John Moore, one of the foremen in the car repairing department, was at work this morning after being off several days from the grip.

Chief Dispatcher Alvey and Traveling Engineer Grimes, of Fulton, were in the city this morning.

C. Mcadden, a machinist helper at the shops, was bruised on the hand Saturday by a ladder falling and striking him.

Ralph Williams, of Central City, came to the hospital yesterday to have his hand dressed. It was injured while loading ties.

Oklahoma Solid for Bryan. Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 17.—In the Democratic primaries held today to elect delegates to the state convention, W. J. Bryan was endorsed by every one of the seventy-five counties. The delegates were instructed to select an instructed Bryan delegation to the Denver convention. W. H. Murray, president of the constitutional convention, will head Oklahoma's delegation.

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Tragedy Occurs in Small Town in Mississippi.

Former Texas Newspaper Man Enters Office of Mississippi and Uses Threats to Extort Money.

THE BLACKMAILER IS KILLED

Hattiesburg, Miss., Feb. 17.—W. L. Booth, of Dallas, Tex., was shot and instantly killed by J. F. Wilder in the office of the latter at Epps, a small station on the Gulf and Ship Island railroad, eight miles south of this city, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Booth was for several years a citizen of Hattiesburg, having at one time been the editor of a weekly newspaper here. For a year or more he had been in the real estate business in Texas. He returned to the community two weeks ago, since when he has acted quietly. It is alleged that he had written a number of letters to Mr. Wilder, demanding money, and threatening personal vengeance unless it was forthcoming. Wilder's friends assert that the claim was without merit and that Booth's importunities were ignored.

Yesterday Mr. Wilder was in the city attending the Masonic meeting, and met Booth, when the latter is said to have renewed his request for money, threatening members of Wilder's family. His requests were again positively refused, whereupon he informed Mr. Wilder that he would see him in Epps to settle the difficulty. Arriving at Epps on the early morning train, Booth walked immediately to Wilder's office. Wilder saw him coming and anticipated trouble. He placed a shotgun where it would be handy. Booth stood by the office stove for a few minutes, when he said:

"Wilder, I have come after that \$2,500."

"You can't get it," replied Wilder. At this juncture Booth unbuttoned his vest, and was in the act of pulling out his revolver, when Wilder picked up his shotgun and emptied it into Booth's body, five shot penetrating the region of his heart and causing almost instant death.

GOOD PLACES

OPEN IN CIVIL SERVICE DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT.

Several Examinations Announced by Boards of Several Cities for Positions to Be Filled.

Competitive examinations of civil service will be held as indicated below: Clerk (male) bureau of plant industry, \$660 per annum, March 1; surgeon, \$125 per month, marine hospital, Mayport, Fla., March 4; meat inspector (five years' experience is required in curing, canning or packing meats. Persons whose experience has been confined to weighing, scaling or clerical work, or who have been engaged solely in the occupation of meat cutter or butcher, will not be admitted to this examination, March 6; wireman, departmental service, salaries \$720 to \$900, March 11; messenger (male), Philippine service, \$1,200 to \$3,000, March 11-12; teacher (male and female), Philippine service, \$1,200 to \$2,000, March 11-12; testing engineer, \$1,000 per annum, March 18; receiver of clothing and small stores, \$4 per diem, March 18-19; assistant superintendent of seed warehouse and seed distribution, salaries \$900 to \$1,500 per annum, March 25; lantern slide coloring (female) \$4 per diem and upward, March 25; magazine attendant, \$2.55 per diem, March 25; plate cleaner, bureau of engraving and printing, \$840 per annum, March 25; public document cataloger, \$900 per annum, March 25; superintendent of engineering construction and plumbing, \$6 per day, March 25; watchman, bureau of engraving and printing, \$720, age limit 25 to 40, March 25. These examinations may be taken at: Bloomington, Ind.; Cincinnati, O.; Cleveland, O.; Columbus, O.; Evansville, Ind.; Fort Wayne, Ind.; Indianapolis, Ind.; Ironton, O.; Lafayette, Ind.; Lexington, Ky.; Louisville, Ky.; Paducah, Ky.; Toledo, O.; Zanesville, Ohio.

Iowa Servant Girl Row Ends. Boone, Ia., Feb. 17.—Mrs. M. J. Foster, the mistress in "The Mistress and Maid," wage controversy here, has withdrawn her challenge to a week's contest in housework with Hannah Olson, a servant girl. Miss Nellie Kenedy, who assumed the non de plume of Hannah Olson, said she thought as did Mrs. Foster on the matter. The latter therefore withdrew.

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SHERIFF'S TAX SALE

I will on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 1908, at
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property to satisfy State and County Taxes and costs for
year 1907. Sale will start at 10 a. m. and close at 2 p. m.

JOHN W. OGILVIE, S. M. C.

February 1, 1908.

White—District 1.		
Argus, W. E., Est. 1 lot.	9.11	
Allen, P. A., 2 1/2 acres.	16.98	
Angustus, Tom, 1 lot.	16.98	
Bryant, Belle, 2 lots.	21.49	
Baker, S. B., 1 lot.	13.95	
Barrow, Mae, 1 lot.	6.76	
Barrow, Chas. R., 2 lots.	217.14	
Benton, Lulu, 1 lot.	21.28	
Beyer, George T., 1 lot.	12.79	
Bass, E. J., 1 lot.	6.03	
Clark, T. A., 1 lot.	5.78	
Champion, J. H., 2 lots.	13.71	
Chen, S. M. for wife, 200 a.	20.57	
Clark, C. E., 1 lot.	11.39	
Carter, C. E., 1 lot.	18.44	
Cox, Ira, 1 lot.	7.97	
Collins, G. & Co., 43 acres.	8.30	
Cox, P., 1 lot.	8.30	
Covington, John J., 1 lot.	5.39	
Davis, Carrie, 1 lot.	4.87	
Dreunen, Miss Mary, 3 lots.	9.68	
Duguid, Mary, 1 lot.	5.43	
Dill, Luther, 1 lot.	6.81	
Davis, J., 1 lot.	5.50	
Dangshery, J., 1 lot.	9.24	
Ethridge, W. H., 1 lot.	10.66	
Edwards, C. C., 1 lot.	7.14	
English, Mrs. M., 1 lot.	4.01	
Forkum, Ed, 1 lot.	9.98	
Frost, Harry, 5 lots.	7.73	
Farriman, Mrs. C. C., 1 lot.	8.28	
Farrell, Chas., 1 lot.	9.68	
Frailley, J. R., 1 lot.	6.87	
Griffin, Ed., 1 lot.	8.57	
George, J. E., 1 lot.	6.87	
Hughes, Geo. H., 1 lot.	6.43	
Hoschetter, Mrs. Mary, 1 lot.	2.69	
Hicklin, C. C., 1 lot.	6.43	
Husbands, Will, 1 lot.	12.08	
Harper, Ben, 1 lot.	3.21	
Hoxan, J., 1 lot.	9.70	
Harley, H. G., 1 lot.	4.02	
Jobner, N. E., 1 lot.	5.45	
Jarvis, P. D., 2 lots.	8.28	
Johnson, L. W., 6 lots.	18.49	
Junking, J. R., 1 lot.	5.71	
Johnson, H. J., 1 lot.	10.00	
Kennedy, H., 1 lot.	5.79	
Key, Ivan U., 1 lot.	5.89	
Ladd, John, 1 lot.	6.41	
Lattrell, J. R., 3 lots.	5.86	
Lee, Dan, 1 lot.	10.00	
Lawrence, H. A., 1 lot.	6.57	
Lokan, Annie, 1 lot.	3.15	
McClure, R. T., 1 lot.	6.49	
McCollum, John, 1 lot.	10.00	
McKenney, Chas., 1 lot.	4.05	
McGoodwin, C. & Co., 1 lot.	5.77	
Meador, Geo. A., 1 lot.	5.77	
Maurial, 1 lot.	6.16	

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Davis, Emma, 3 acres.	10.00
Farmer, L. D., 5 lots.	6.45
Roberts, P., 1 lot.	6.85
Swanson, C. F., 1 lot.	8.28
Swanson, C. F., 1 lot.	11.11
Snider, Geo., 1 lot.	11.11
Simpson, Margarette, 2 lots.	5.71
Schulder, Margarette, 1 lot.	4.91
Smith, T. J., 4 lots.	4.91
Smith, V. K., 1 lot.	5.41
Threlkeld, R. L., 1 lot.	7.15
Williams, M. M., 2 lots.	5.94
Woods, Tom, 1 lot.	5.94
Woods, J. A., 2 lots.	6.45

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speech at times.
Vicar—Ah, I'm sorry, John. But
we will converse about that some
other time. Just now I want you to
go to the plumber's and settle that
bill for four pounds ten for thawing
out a water pipe. And you might talk
to the man in a careless sort of way,
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HIGH WATER IS NOW RECEDING

Reached Its Height at Noon Yesterday at Pittsburg.

No Sacrifice of Life Has Been Reported Yet—Suffering Said to Be Intense.

CELLARS FILLED WITH WATER

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 17.—After reaching thirty and seven-feet at noon Sunday and remaining at that stage for three hours, the high water in the rivers is now slowly receding. As far as is known there has been no sacrifice of human life. Miles of territory in greater Pittsburg and vicinity is submerged and it will be some time tomorrow before the water will be back in its channels.

Thousands of business houses in the down town portion of Pittsburg are attempting to clear the cellars of their buildings of water.

The actual monetary damage will run up to several million dollars.

The suffering caused by the high water is intense. Thousands of persons are living in the upper floors of their homes using skiffs as a means of transportation to and fro. The lower portions of their homes are filled with water, and chairs, tables, pianos and bric-a-brac are floating about the rooms. The damage to manufacturing plants of the Pittsburg district is great.

RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

Calo	37.3	2.6	rise
Chattanooga	24.7	9.4	rise
Cincinnati	45.0	1.5	rise
Evansville	33.9	7.7	rise
Florence	15.3	2.7	rise
Johnsonville	25.3	1.8	rise
Louisville	20.7	9.5	rise
Mt. Carmel	20.1	0.3	sf'd
Nashville	23.0	1.9	rise
Pittsburg	26.9	9.2	rise
St. Louis	15.1	7.4	rise
Mt. Vernon	22.4	5.7	rise
Paducah	24.0	2.0	rise

River stage 34, a rise of 2 feet since Saturday morning, a rise of 1 since yesterday morning.

The Egan is in from Caseyville with a tow of coal for the West Kentucky Coal company.

The John S. Hopkins was in and out for Evansville yesterday morning. The Joe Fowler arrived from Evansville at 5 o'clock this morning and left at 11 on her return trip.

The Butterm arrived from Nashville yesterday afternoon with a big trip of tobacco and hay. She left at noon for Clarksville and will return Wednesday morning and leave at noon that day for Nashville.

The J. B. Finley is on her way up to Louisville with a big tow of empties. She had to call on the Pacific No. 2 of Calo to help her manage her tow during the storm Friday night and Saturday.

The Vincennes is in from the Tennessee with a tow of ties. She took her tow on to Joppla last night and will return today and prepare to leave for the Tennessee immediately.

The Lizzie Arellhold came up from Brookport this morning and got a tow of ties for Brookport.

The Dick Fowler got away this morning at 8 o'clock for Calo with a big trip of freight. She did not make a trip Saturday on account of the strong wind blowing up the river. Dick Willis, purser on the Dick Fowler, is sick at his home in Metropolis. St. Malinski, the second clerk, went as purser this morning and Al Rittenhouse went as second clerk.

The Georgia Lee is due in from Memphis late this evening on her way to Cincinnati.

The Chattanooga is due out of the upper Tennessee this afternoon.

The Clyde is due in tonight from Waterloo, Ala.

Capt. M. N. Mullen is able to attend to his duties on the Fannie Wallace after a several days' illness.

Capt. Frank Brown has returned from Huntington, Tenn., where he attended the funeral of his father, the Rev. George Brown, last Friday.

Capt. H. Baker went to Roseville, Miss., to see how the Duffy is getting along in her work of towing ties out of White river.

Capt. Young Taylor returned from Louisville last night after a short visit with his daughter, Anna, who is attending school in that city.

DELICATE CHILDREN.

All Parents Who Have Delicate Children in Paducah Will Be Interested in This Article.

Rapidly growing children need a great deal of vitality. They grow fast, play hard and work too hard at school. Then the appetite becomes fitful, their nights are restless and they soon become weak, delicate and sickly.

We want to remind the parents of every such child in Paducah that our delicious cod liver preparation, Vinol, will correct these troubles and make for each child new vitality, sound flesh and muscle tissue, strong bone structure and pure rich red blood. It will build them up, fill out hollow cheeks and make them strong, robust and rosy.

Mrs. C. Allen, of New Bedford, Mass., writes: "With two puny, ailing children, I was very much worried. I had tried almost everything to build them up without success and, as a last resort, tried Vinol. The benefit was great in a very short time. They gained flesh and strength so rapidly."

The reason Vinol is so far superior to old-fashioned cod liver oil, emulsions and other tonics for children is because Vinol is a delicious modern cod liver preparation without oil made by a scientific extractive and concentrating process from fresh cods' livers combining with peptonate-of-iron at the medicinal, healing, body-building elements of cod liver oil, but no oil and children love it. We ask parents of Paducah who have delicate children to try Vinol on our guarantee to return their money if it fails to give satisfaction. W. B. McPherson, Druggist, Paducah, Ky.

APPROACH TO BE REPAIRED.

Illinois Central Officials to Inspect Big Landslide.

Calo Ill., Feb. 17.—A. E. Cliff, division superintendent of the Illinois Central, James Clifford and J. J. Chadwick, all of Carbondale, were in the city yesterday on business concerning the damage done to the railroad company's line at the bridge by caving in of the embankment Saturday. The slide was considerable and calls for immediate attention. Many tons of earth extending five hundred feet along the north side of the high embankment, between the Big Four crossing and the subway, gave way. It went down with a swoop, covering the tracks along the base of the embankment to a depth of from four to eight feet. It turned over several freight cars standing on these tracks. Men were put to work at once clearing the tracks, but the repairs on the bridge approach will be a big undertaking and requires the presence of some of the big fellows of the road because of the damage the traffic on the north track of the approach has been suspended and all trains run over the south track.

A Poet's Vision.

For years the poet Francis Thompson had been one of the "submerged," selling matches, calling cabs, anything to obtain pence necessary to buy food. At last he yielded to despair, and having for some days saved up all he could earn he devoted it to the purchase of a single dose of laudanum sufficient to end his troubles. With this he retired at night to his haunt the rubbish plot in Covent Garden Market. Then by his own narrative the following morning incident occurred: He had already taken half the fatal draught when he felt a hand up on his arm and looking up saw one whom he recognized as Chatterton for bidding him to drink the rest, and at the same instant memory came to him of how, after that poet's suicide, a letter had been delivered at his lodging which if he had waited another day would have brought him the relief he needed.

It happened so with Thompson, for after infinite pains the editor of a magazine who had accepted and printed an essay and a poem of his, but could not discover his address had that very morning traced Thompson to the chemist's shop where the drug was sold, and relief for him was close at hand.—Academy.

Chicago Walks for Record.

Helena, Mont., Feb. 17.—Charles Raupp, who left Tacoma, Wash., December 10, to walk to Chicago, arrived in Helena today. He is trying to make a 3,000-mile walking record and to beat Pedestrian Watson's 26 day record. He declares that two weeks ago he walked from Homer's Ferry, Idaho, to Kellspeil, Mont., 188 miles, without having a thing to eat. His home is in Chicago.

"We thought," said the reporter, "you might care to say something about these charges against you."

"No," replied the crooked public of Helal, "I believe that silence is golden."

"Well," replied the reporter, "perhaps the public might believe it's merely gilt in this case."—Philadelphia Press.

TAFT IN ILLINOIS

POLITICIANS DISMAYED BY PROMOTION OF HIS CANDIDACY.

May Join Big Alliance and If Cannon Falls to Get "Last Ditch" Delegates May Not Aid Deacon.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—To the dismay of astute politicians who thought they had the state barricaded against foreign invasion, the Taft movement got in and now is at large—with prospects of getting larger every day.

The local promoters of the Ohio candidate's cause met at Vogelsang's restaurant, elected James E. McMurray president of the Chicago Taft Club, and started out to secure the Illinois delegation, or as much thereof as possible, for the secretary of war, George E. Roberts, president of the Commercial National bank, former director of the mint, was made treasurer, and Alderman McColl, of the Sixth ward, secretary. From now on here will be trouble in Illinois.

It is not the purpose of the Taft men to deprive Speaker Joseph G. Cannon of the honor of having the old vote of the state cast for him on the first ballot. What they want is votes for Taft on the second ballot if no nomination be made on the first. They will oppose any attempt to deliver to Mr. Cannon a carefully and-picked delegation, which can be used by him in any way he wishes. They are pretty likely to be successful in a number of the Chicago congressional districts, although it can be expected that they will have much influence outside of Cook county.

Chicago for Cannon With Limit.

The situation in Chicago is such that the effort to deliver "last ditch" delegates to Cannon would not have much chance of success, even if no popular movement for Taft had been started. The republican committee in several districts have announced that they will not aid such attempt.

They are willing to stand for delegates who will vote for Cannon on the first ballot, but they are not disposed to give the speaker the kind of delegation he wants—one of men, he would be for Cannon first, last and all the time.

It is this juggling on the part of political managers which gives strength to the newly started Taft movement. It is strengthened further by the announcement of the Taft committee that they merely are urging the secretary as second choice of the Illinois delegates and want instructions to that effect.

Ambitious.



The Head Bookkeeper—What's that? The Office Boy—I see why don't you take a vacation or get sick or something, so's a fellow like you have a chance at your place?—New York World.

Gambling in Cuba.

American influence has brought about some important changes in Cuban customs and notably in the abolition of the bull ring and the cock pit which used to be the chief Sunday attractions of the populace. Not a few of the better class of Havanaese desire to see the Fronto closed forever. High and low wagers immediately on this game and many stories of ruined reputations and wrecked business are connected with it. Every race has its prevailing vice and its comparative freedom from others, but drunkenness is virtually unknown among them. Both sexes in Havana spend a great deal of time in the numerous open air cafes, but they drink for the most part, non-alcoholic, fruit beverages, of which there are an extensive variety peculiar to the country. —C. H. Forbes-Lindsay, in The World Today.

Small Boy—Do your glasses magnify things, Granma? Granma—Oh, yes dear. Small Boy—Then I wish you wouldn't wear them when you help me to jam. I don't axually get as much as you think.—Punch.

THE "TENANT QUEST" IS THE "ONE BIG WORRY" WITH PROPERTY OWNERS—UNTIL THEY BECOME ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALES OF TOBACCO

ON FIVE OF THE PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION MARKETS.

Reports of General Interest Is Made By the Auditor of the Organization.

John D. Seales, auditor of the Planters' Protective association, has submitted a report showing the following sales of tobacco by the association on five markets:

Guthrie Market.	
25 hogheads at.....	\$ 9.00
12 hogheads at.....	8.00
1 hoghead at.....	10.00
1 hoghead at.....	10.50
5 hogheads at.....	11.00
10 hogheads at.....	11.50
8 hogheads at.....	12.00
4 hogheads at.....	13.00
1 hoghead at.....	14.00

67, total.

Clarksville Market.	
1 hoghead at.....	\$ 7.00
4 hogheads at.....	7.50
4 hogheads at.....	8.00
1 hoghead at.....	3.50
2 hogheads at.....	9.00
1 hoghead at.....	9.50
1 hoghead at.....	10.00
1 hoghead at.....	10.50
8 hogheads at.....	11.00
4 hogheads at.....	11.50
3 hogheads at.....	12.00
1 hoghead at.....	12.00

30, total.

Hopkinsville Market.	
17 hogheads at.....	\$7.00
Springfield Market.	
1 hoghead at.....	\$ 7.00
8 hogheads at.....	8.00
2 hogheads at.....	9.00
6 hogheads at.....	11.00
1 hoghead at.....	11.50
3 hogheads at.....	12.00
1 hoghead at.....	13.00

22, total.

Paducah Market.	
12 hogheads at.....	\$ 7.00
1 hoghead at.....	10.00
4 hogheads at.....	10.50
2 hogheads at.....	11.00
3 hogheads at.....	11.50
1 hoghead at.....	12.00

21, total.

Murray Market.	
1 hoghead at.....	\$10.00
1 hoghead at.....	10.00
11 hogheads at.....	11.00
7 hogheads at.....	1.50
1 hoghead at.....	12.00

21, total.

CHILLY LONDON.

Why Englishmen Do Not Have Fires in Their Houses.

"Everything that shouldn't be warm in England is warm," says Samuel G. Blythe, in Everybody's Magazine for February, "and everything that should be warm is cold. The houses are catcombs always excepting those few hotels in London where they have steam heat, which is, of course, due to the advance of American civilization. Englishmen say they do not feel the cold. Everybody else feels it, for it is the meanest cold in the world. Extended observation leads to the conclusion that the reason the English do not feel the cold is that they are desensitized, sort of refrigerator-heated, so to speak."

"This is not the main point. The reason the English shiver around in cold, damp rooms, trying to make themselves believe a few lunks of canned coal in a grate furnish all the heat required by the most delicate, is that somebody, in ancient days, who couldn't get anything to warm himself by, did the next best thing and declared he didn't feel the cold and didn't need a fire anyhow. Other Englishmen heard of it, and this idea has been a fetish ever since."

Very Considerate.



Lady Visitor—Do you ever make any sacrifices for your little sister? Bobby—Yes, I do; I cut all the candy 'cause it makes her sick.—Philadelphia Press.

"Would you say that author has the gift of keeping your curiosity excited?" "After a fashion," answered Miss Cayenne. "You are constantly expecting him to say something interesting and he is always putting it off till the new chapter."—Washington Star.

"Did you ever try drowning your sorrow?" "Nope; she's stronger than I am, and besides, it would be murder."—Houston Post.

A man don't mind being fooled if he does it himself.

THE NEW SPRING SUITS ARE AT THE GUTHRIE STORE



TWENTY FIVE new styles in Smart and Snappy Spring Suits will be shown at this store Tuesday morning. Never before have we, or any other Paducah house, shown such beautiful suit models. The styles of the Suits are of that swagger cut, which appeals to the dressers of discriminating tastes. As to colors, Tans and Browns predominate, closely followed by Shadow Striper and Blues. The prices range from

\$15.00 to \$65.00

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The Satisfactory Store.

New Name For Old Disease.

The mosquito never has had any friends. He has been in the corner of science and imagination of everybody in Sweden in the City of Mexico, has changed the name formally and of familiarity could reach people to endure. He has been at the same time noisy and vicious, to all persons almost a deadly foe.

If, however, the mosquito has been pursued hitherto with more or less earnest rage, in the future he will receive absolutely no quarter, but will be hunted down until exterminated.

For the name of malaria, a painful and debilitating disease which has been attributed to poisonous gases

from swamps and sewers, has been changed to mosquito fever.

The International Sanitary Congress in session in the City of Mexico, has changed the name formally and of familiarity could reach people to endure. It is up to all the world that has suffered from the mosquito in the past to accept the one of this learned body of men, and enter upon the work of exterminating a pest that is proved a worse enemy than was thought.

—Boston Globe.

Chemistry and Diamonds.

It has already been established that the diamonds said to have been manufactured by chemistry were not dia-

monds at all. Two members of the committee deputed by the Academy of Science to subject the crystals to a searching test disagree in this. They were brilliant and sparkling, but could not, either mineralogically or chemically be classed as diamonds. They melted at 2400 degrees, that is, in the flame of a candle. One of the examiners thinks the material may have been naphthalene.

Chicago may lose the pennant by a foot if Frank Chance's bum kick doesn't m.m.d.

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An Adaptation from Longfellow.

A MAN IN MINNESOTA REPLIES TO A SUN WANT AD

One in Marion, Ky., Replies to the Same One.

FOR RENT—Fine farm about 3 miles from city. Good house and out buildings. Apply to 309 Broadway. T. E. Lydon.

A gentleman in Frontenac, Minn., replied to the ad. above, which is quite out of the ordinary. Mr. Lydon received a letter from him this week making inquiries about the farm, and he also had one reply, out of a great number of others, from a man in Marion, Ky.

The moral to this is: The Sun's want ads are effective—they certainly are wide reaching.

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